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APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL FIBER GLASS PREFORM

**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CORRECTION**

Commissioner of Patent  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections shown in red ink on the attached prints is respectfully requested.

Upon receipt of approval and a Notice of Allowance, the corrections will be made by a bonded draftsman in accordance with current Patent Office practice.

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FIG. 1  
(PRIOR ART)

